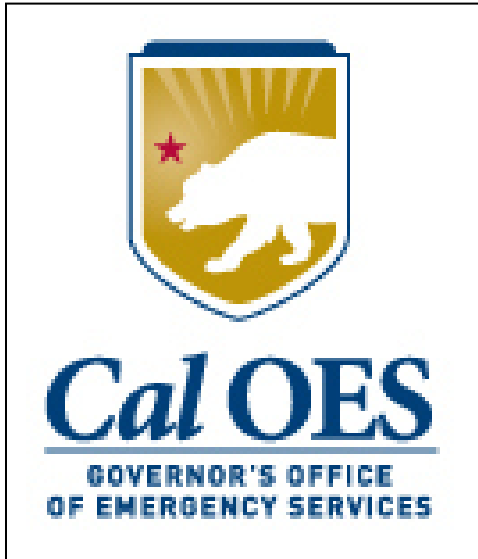


January 2014



Cal OES Daily Situation Report

January 03, 2014

National Terrorism Advisory System

Current Alerts

There are no current alerts

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* Maps can be viewed in the attachment.

EDO	Kirby Everhart
CSWC Watch Officers	Rachel Sierer Wooden (Day), Tim Britt (Night)
FDO	Len Chesmore
LDO	Greg Smith
IDO	Deborah Vercammen
CDO	Robert Butchart
SDO	Yvette LaDuke
PIO	Kelly Huston
TCOM	John Hudson
IT	Dominick Pedicino
EQ	Mark Johnson
TRIBAL LIAISON POC	Denise Banker
ACCESS and FUNCTIONAL NEEDS POC	Richard Devylder

I. OPEN DISASTERS/EMERGENCIES:

II. WEATHER:

Today's Forecast:

Week-Ahead Weather Highlights 01/03/14-01/09/14

Thursday-Friday

* No significant weather hazards

Saturday-Sunday

* Increased fire weather concerns due to offshore winds in SW CA and north winds in Lower Colorado River Valley

Monday-Wednesday

* Slight chance for travel impacts across Sierra passes due to snow Tuesday into Wednesday


California OES Impact Threat Matrix January 03, 2014 – January 09, 2014							
DAY/THREAT	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN	MON	TUE	WED
Fire Weather			SoCal	SoCal			
Winds							
Extreme Cold							
Snow						Northern Mtns & Sierra	Northern Mtns & Sierra
Heavy Rain/Flash Flooding							
River Flooding							
Severe Weather							

High Threat

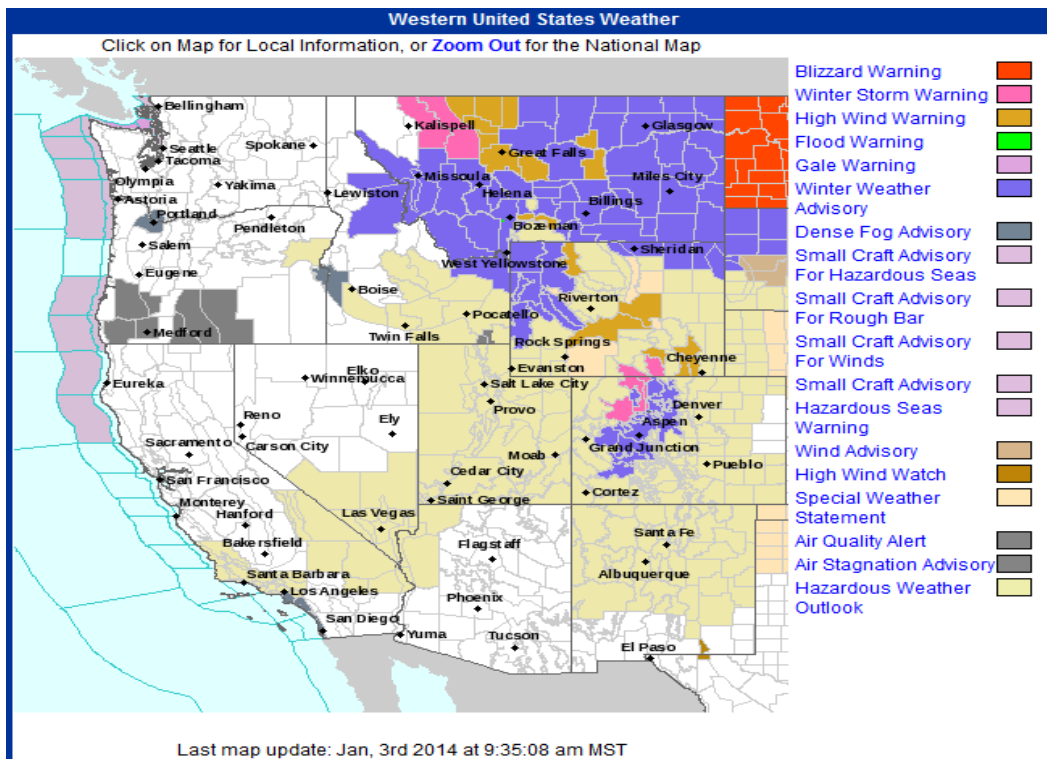
Moderate Threat

Slight Threat

No Discernible Threat



State Weather Map



III. FIRES:

Overall Fire Risk:

Northern California

Dead and dormant fuels are extremely dry for this time of year, while a great share of the mid to higher terrain is devoid of even a light snowpack. This will continue to produce greater small fire potential than is seasonably normal. Meanwhile, the dry breezy weather tonight through early Sunday will cause elevated significant fire potential on a local-scale over the lower western Sierra-Cascade slopes and nearby foothills. We are experiencing various stages of long term drought, with severe to locally extreme drought conditions covering most of Northern California (see link below). <http://droughtmonitor.unl.edu/Home/StateDroughtMonitor.aspx?CA>

Southern California

Large fire potential may become elevated once again Sunday and Monday due to the low Relative Humidity (RH) and locally gusty offshore winds. While wind speed is not expected to be especially strong, the extremely dry fuels will allow for an unseasonably high ignition component during peak heating hours. Expect rapid rates of spread in windy areas, especially during the day Sunday, if any new start occurred. Cooler and more humid weather will cause large fire potential to be much lower by next Wednesday or Thursday. Some light Initial Attack (IA) will be possible Sunday and Monday then little, if any, activity can be expected the rest of next week.

Preparedness Levels:

National Preparedness Level 1

Northern California

Preparedness Level 1 Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode 2

Southern California

Preparedness Level 2 Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode 2

IV. SIGNIFICANT ACTIVITY:

State

Drought 2014

The lack of winter rain and snowfall has resulted in current drought conditions throughout the State. Some local jurisdictions are implementing mandatory conservation orders. Reservoir levels are down significantly from where they should be on average for this time of year. Severe impacts to municipal water supplies, agriculture (plants and livestock) and firefighting capabilities are likely in store for the State over the next few months. The Governor has established a Drought Task Force to oversee the coordinate response to this event.

Northern California:

Campbell, Vegetation Fire, Tehama County, FRA (New)

Start time: 01/02/14 at 2000 hours

* 200 acres Timber, 0% Contained

* Moderate Rate of Spread

* Temperature 54 degrees, Relative Humidity 42%, Winds North Northwest at 3 mph with gusts to 6 mph

* Commitment of CAL FIRE Air and Ground Resources



Southern California:

Pfeiffer Fire Recovery

- * Cal OES Coastal Region and Recovery continue to work with the county to assist with their recovery needs.
- * California Volunteers, at the request of Monterey County, activated the Monetary Donations webpage on its website, www.californiavolunteers.org, to provide links to nonprofit organizations in the impacted area currently collecting monetary donations to assist the survivors and recovery process.
- * A hotline number has been established for information to the public at (831) 320-9989.
- * Monterey County is opening a one-day Local Assistance Center (LAC) today 01/03/14. Individual Assistance (IA) coordinated with Monterey County, State Agencies, and Voluntary Agencies to support the LAC. The LAC will be held in the Multiple Agency Facility, Big Sur Station #1 located on Highway 1, south of the Pfeiffer State Park entrance from 1000 to 1700. IA has invited pertinent State and Voluntary Agencies to participate. Cal OES IA will provide staff to assist the County with the opening.

Proclamation

- * Proclamation from Monterey County was received at Cal OES on 12/17/2013 declaring a Local Emergency and requesting a copy of this proclamation be forwarded to the Governor of California to proclaim a State of Emergency and request a Presidential Declaration.

CAL OES MISSIONS:

New Missions: NSTR

Ongoing Missions:

2013-FIRE-1902 On 12/30/13, 1538 hours, Pasadena Fire Department requesting California National Guard 9th Civil Support Team for the BCS National Championship Game on January 6.

2013-LAW-1868 On 12/23/13, Monterey County Sheriff's Office requested CBRN (chemical, biological, radiological, nuclear) detection/sweeps at the AT&T National Pro-Am in Pebble Beach on 02/03/14 – 02/09/14, with pre-staging of the asset prior to the event start date.

2013-Coastal-1867 On 12/23/13, Monterey County Environmental Health requested the Department of Toxic Substance Control (DTSC) for post-fire household hazardous waste and asbestos removal for burned residences. This is an ongoing program after a fire in California. The request date is 01/06/14.

2013-LAW-1797 On 12/11/2013, at 1520 hours, Butte County S.O. requested a dive team and underwater Remotely Operated Vehicle (ROV) with capability to search Lake Oroville at depths down to 300 feet. Human Remains Detection (HRD) K-9's are also being requested in support of this mission to search land area's around two bridges. 12/18/13, 1520 hours, Butte County Sheriff's Department advised that no additional clues were discovered today and they will be scheduling another search with side scan sonar equipment within the next 10 days. 12/24/13, 1600 hours, San Francisco Police Department (SFPD) advised they are still in the approval process. This search is anticipated to continue after the first of the year.

2013-Southern-1468 Cal Trans/State Parks, Crystal Cove Slope Repair, Orange County. [Per Cal Trans, on 01/03/14, the majority of the work has been completed; there is still some minor work that needs to be done. The roadway is currently back open with no lane closure or travel restrictions. Due to unforeseen circumstances, "Weather and a Safety Review" change, time for completion is now unknown.](#)

Closed Missions:

2014 -LAW-1909 [01/02/14 at 1708 hours, The Merced County Sheriff's Office \(SO\) requested Search and Rescue \(SAR\) resources to locate a 7 year old autistic boy, missing since approximately 1200 hours. The boy was on an outing with his family when he walked away from the family's van in the area of Kelley Road and the Merced River, near Hilmar. Merced SO, who had local SAR resources searching all afternoon, requested an additional 20 Type ground searchers for the evening. The Cal OES Law Duty Officer \(LDO\) contacted Mariposa SO, Madera SO, and Fresno SO, who all committed resources for the effort. Cal OES Deputy Chief, Matt Scharper advised he was responding to the Command Post to assist. On 01/02/14 at 1926 hours, Merced SO advised, the missing boy had been located alive and well by the Merced County SO Dive Team in a small body of water. All mutual aid resources, which were either on scene or en-route, were advised. Deputy Chief Scharper was also advised and cancelled his response while en-route.](#)

2013-FIRE-1787 On 12/10/13 at 1551 hours, Pasadena Fire Department requested the California National Guard 9th Civil Support Team to support Rose Bowl Parade Activities on January 1 and 2. Per the Pasadena Fire Department the 9th Civil Support Teams has been released as of 1800 hours 01/01/2014. [On 01/03/14 mission was closed.](#)

V. AGENCY/DEPARTMENT REPORTS: NSTR

VI. UPCOMING EVENTS, TRAINING, EXERCISES: NSTR

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